

# Invitation for Bid (IFB) Schedule

Event	Date
IFB available to prospective bidders	August 10, 2017
PLA available as IFB addendum	By August 22, 2017
Mandatory bidders conference	August 24, 2017
Deadline for submitting questions	August 25, 2017
Posting questions and answers	September 1, 2017
Final Date for Bid Submission	September 18, 2017, 5:00PM
Bid Opening	September 19, 2017
Proposed Award Date	October 6, 2017
Proposed Contract Start Date	October 23, 2017

**Note: Potential bid protests after the bid opening may delay the award date and contract start date.**

# Project Labor Agreement

- What is a Project Labor Agreement (PLA)?
- DTSC and the Los Angeles/Orange Counties Building and Construction Trades Council have negotiated a Project Labor Agreement for the Exide Cleanup Project.
- The PLA is available at <https://www.caleprocure.ca.gov/event/3960/0000006585>.

# Targeted Hiring Program

- Percentage goals (categories may overlap):
  - New Environmental Workers – 50%
  - Community Residents – 20%
  - Local Residents – 30%
  - Transitional Workers – 25%

# Labor and Workforce Training

- Workforce for Environmental Restoration in Communities (WERC)
- September 26, 2017  
Environmental Job Fair and Training Graduation
- 95 total training graduates since 2016
- Connecting to sustainable career pipelines



# Workforce for Environmental Restoration in Communities (WERC)

## ■ Program Improvements

- Physical Conditioning
- Supervisor Module for Career Advancement
- Construction Skills Training (MC3)
- Workers Rights and Civic Engagement

## ■ Additional Trainings

- Health & Safety
- Environmental Training and Certification
- Pre-Employment Training
- Cultural Sensitivity Training for Field Supervisors

# Example: Green Landscaping Training

- Completed Two Community Gardens
- Four Design Templates
- Pre-Employment Skills
- CPR/First Aid
- Workers' Rights
- Civic Engagement Training
- Asbestos Awareness
- Lead Awareness
- Heat Illness Prevention
- Native Plants, Irrigation, and Soil Science



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